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FULL AFTERNOON TEXAS TELEGRAPH REPORT A HERALD FEATURE NOW

## THE Royall National Bank

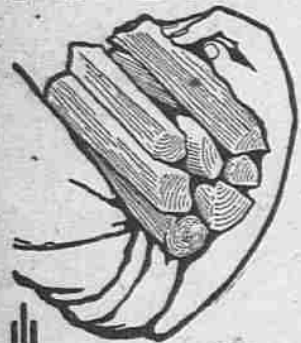
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Offers to patrons all the accommodations  
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If you have one of the ordinary  
fuel-devouring wood heaters you  
will be glad to know of the  
new principle of the Down Draft  
that saves one-half the fuel. This  
principle is found only in the

## WILSON Hot Blast HEATER For Wood



Feed the fire half as often—  
half as much at a time—the down  
draft prevents waste of heat up  
the chimney—forces back all  
gases into the fire, where they  
are burned.

Because the Wilson is air-tight,  
fire can be held for 36 hours—  
also perfect combustion is  
made possible.  
We sell the Wilson Heater  
for wood or coal.

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**Palestine Hardware  
Company.**

## MONEY INVESTED IN Real Estate

In Palestine or  
Anderson County

Is as safe as if deposited in the Bank of England.

And it is better than money deposited, because it will grow.  
As sure as the town and county increases, just that sure will the  
price of Real Estate increase.

**P. H. HUGHES,**

Real Estate and Insurance, can help you to profitable Investments.  
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## The Children's Delight

is a box of Booth Bros.' confections.  
Our bon-bons, chocolates and creams  
are healthful and delicious, and  
there is nothing that will please  
mamma and the little ones like  
bringing them home a fresh box of  
Booth's candies.

**Booth Bros.**

## OVERRULED STRIKE WON

FEDERAL JUDGE OVERRULES DE-  
MURRERS OF GOVERNOR  
HASKELL AND OTHERS.

### PLEA IN CASE DEMANDED

Court Orders Defendants to Come In  
to Court Next Saturday and Plead  
Guilty or Not Guilty—Further  
Motions to Be Filed.

(Herald Special.)

Chickasha, Okla., Nov. 15.—Federal Judge Marshall today overruled the demurrers of Governor C. N. Haskell and five other prominent Oklahomans to the indictment charging them with conspiracy against the government in obtaining Muskogee town sites. Judge Marshall's decision compels Haskell and the other defendants to stand trial unless they plead guilty, which is unlikely. Counsel for the defendants entered exceptions to the court's ruling and announced that further motions will be filed. The defendants were ordered to appear before Judge Marshall next Saturday and plead guilty or not guilty.

### TO NAVIGATE THE RED

Number of Texans In Shreveport In  
Conference With Merchants as to  
Red River Navigation.

(Herald Special.)

Shreveport, La., Nov. 15.—N. H. Rutland, secretary of the Red River Navigation Association, with a number of Texans, is here today in conference with Shreveport merchants, urging the restoration of navigation of the Red river from New Orleans to Denison. The purpose of this campaign is to force a reduction of freight rates from gulf ports, and shippers here and from Texas points are co-operating to obtain additional federal appropriations for river improvements. The government has already appropriated fifty thousand dollars for this work.

### TELEGRAPH BOYS STRIKE

All of Western Union Messenger Boys  
at Fort Worth Went Out on  
Strike This Morning.

(Herald Special.)

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 15.—The entire force of Western Union Telegraph company messenger boys went out on strike this morning in an effort to enforce their demands for a wage increase. The boys demand seven cents per mile for all messages delivered over one mile distance from the company's office. They are now receiving two cents. Fearing trouble the company's clerks have been appointed deputy sheriffs and in addition two policemen have been stationed at the doors of the company's offices. The striking messengers claim that boys in other Texas cities are receiving seven cents for the same service.

### SHIPP GOT NINETY DAYS

Former Sheriff of Chattanooga, Tenn.,  
Sentenced By the United States  
Supreme Court Today.

(Herald Special.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—Former Sheriff Joseph Shipp of Chattanooga, Tenn., was today sentenced to ninety days' imprisonment by the United States supreme court for contempt of court in failing to prevent the lynching of the negro, Ed Johnson. The court had stayed Johnson's execution following his conviction for assault. Shipp has sons in Houston and Dallas, Texas.

### BONUS WAS COMPLETED.

Sweetwater Gets the Car Shops and  
Round House of G., C. & S. F.

(Herald Special.)

Sweetwater, Texas, Nov. 15.—The citizens' committee today completed its canvas for twenty-five thousand dollars as a bonus which assures the location of the car shops and round house of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railroad here.

BOILERMAKERS IN COTTON BELT  
SHOPS WON VICTORY, AND  
GOT A CONTRACT

### WITH A WAGE INCREASE

Raising the Price From Thirty to  
Forty Cents Per Hour—Helpers  
Also Get Increase of Two  
and a Half Cents.

(Herald Special.)

Tyler, Texas, Nov. 15.—The boiler-makers in the local shops of the Cotton Belt railroad, who struck several days ago for a wage increase and a contract with the road, won a complete victory today when the company accepted their demands. The wage increase is from thirty to forty cents per hour for boiler-makers and a contract, which was one of the chief contentions. Helpers were also increased two and a half cents per hour, and flange turners from forty to forty-five cents per hour.

### JURY IS COMPLETED

In the Louis Coffman Case—On Trial  
For Wife Murder.

McKinney, Texas, Nov. 15.—The jury was completed this morning in the case of Louis Coffman, charged with the murder of his wife, and the state will begin offering evidence this afternoon. The special venire of two hundred and fifty talesmen was exhausted and fifty additional veniremen reported this morning.

### HELD LONG CONFERENCE

Prison Investigation and  
Governor Were In Conference  
In Austin Today.

(Herald Special.)

Austin, Texas, Nov. 15.—Chairman C. E. Gilmore and members Jens Moller and B. F. Lee of the state penitentiary investigation committee arrived in Austin today, and will complete the report to be submitted to the governor. The members of the committee and the governor were in conference for a long time this morning, but neither the committee nor the governor would discuss the conference. The committee say their report will not be ready for some time yet. Other members of the committee are expected here tonight or tomorrow.

### HALF OF THE BONUS IS UP

C. W. Swenson of New York Puts Up  
\$100,000 as Half of Railroad  
Bonus In Toyah Valley.

(Herald Special.)

Pecos, Texas, Nov. 15.—Charles W. Swenson of New York, who recently purchased the Toyah Valley Irrigation property, today deposited half of the bonus of \$200,000 asked by W. L. Carlisle and his associates for the construction of a railroad from Pecos through the valley and on to Marfa. Swenson is one of the largest owners of West Texas lands. The holdings of the Swenson brothers exceeds one million acres.

### FOR BUCKNER ORPHAN HOME.

Texas Baptists Pledged \$10,000 For  
Improvements.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 15.—The Texas Baptist Association in sixty-sixth annual session here, today raised a fund of \$10,000 for the improvement of Buckner's Orphan Home, near this city. The convention will probably conclude its work tonight. Two thousand delegates have been in constant attendance on the session.

### HOUSES WERE DESTROYED

By Storm of Cyclonic Proportions  
Near Mount Pleasant.

Mount Pleasant, Texas, Nov. 15.—Additional reports received today from the outlying country swept by a storm of cyclonic proportions last night say that houses belonging to Hugh Nelson, Will Searcy and W. T. Bolden were blown down, and much other damage is reported.

## Good Clothing

It is a great satisfaction to us to know that we sell Good Clothes, yes, the very best. Alfred Benjamin's Clothes are correctly tailored, and the fabrics and patterns are all selected by experts in their line, so there is absolutely no chance for you to go wrong in buying a Suit with this famous label in the collar.

We are showing Benjamin's Suits in all the new fabrics and colorings. They come in regulars, stouts and slims, and your fit is sure to be here, and the price will be very moderate.

If you come and see our attractive assortment of Furnishings, Hats, Caps and Shoes, you will agree with us that the road that leads to our store is the most up-to-date and safe.

**W. B. Flanagan**

The Leading Clothier and Furnisher.

## Sealy Mattresses.

After Nov. 10th Sealy

Mattresses will be ad-

vanced to \$18.00 each.

Better buy one now for

**\$16.50**

**Swann Furniture  
And Carpet Co.**

## HAD A NARROW ESCAPE ANGRY MOB AFTER NEGRO

Buggy Was Washed Away While Mrs.  
Hall Was Crossing Big Sycamore Creek Sunday.

(Herald Special.)

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 15.—Mrs. E. T. Hall, wife of Dr. E. T. Hall of Fort Worth, narrowly escaped death while crossing Big Sycamore Creek, near Crowley, yesterday. Her carriage was overturned by the raging waters in the creek, the result of the recent heavy rains. H. Whitfield, a farmer, rescued the woman after she had been washed three hundred feet below the ford. Mr. Sam Bayes, a brother-in-law to Mrs. Hall, who was with her at the time, clung to the carriage and was rescued.

In the Vicinity of Marthaville, La.—If  
Caught He Will Be Promptly  
Lynched.

(Herald Special.)

Shreveport, La., Nov. 15.—Posses of officers and citizens are today scouring the country in the vicinity of Marthaville, La., for a negro who assaulted Mrs. Polk Rains, the wife of a prominent farmer, at a late hour last night. A lynching is certain if the negro is captured. The negro had been employed as a farm hand on the Rains place until a few days ago. In the absence of Mr. Rains last night he forced an entrance to Mrs. Rains' room. The woman's condition is critical today.

## THE HOUSE OF FASHION



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We can safely attribute our wonderfully increasing business in Men's Hats to the appreciation men have for good styles, large assortments and reasonable prices. The best friends that our Hat Department has are those who come to us simply to try the difference between High-grade Hats and the ordinary kind—we pleased them and we'll do as much for you if you'll give us a chance.

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More Correct Shapes  
More Stiff Hats  
More Soft Hats

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